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July 20, 2007

Laura Hendrix  
Ravalli County  
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**RE: Continued Resource Protection Phase 2A**

Dear Ms. Hendrix:

The Department of Natural Resources and Conservation (DNRC) has completed its evaluation and ranking of Reclamation and Development Grants Program (RDGP) planning grants for the June 30, 2007 funding cycle. We received ten applications requesting \$442,602.

I am sorry to inform you that your project was not one of the projects approved for funding.

The DNRC ranking committee felt that all the applications received had merit and difficult decisions on which projects to fund were the norm.

In the end, there was consensus agreement on which projects best met the statutory purpose and intent of the RDGP.

Thank you for your participation. If you have any questions regarding the evaluation and ranking process please call me at (406) 444-6723.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Greg Mills".

Greg Mills  
Program Manager

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**JUL 25 2007**

**Ravalli County Commissioners**

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